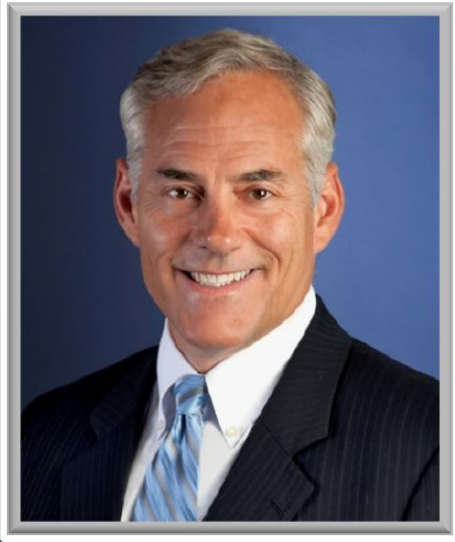


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Commissioner Steve Basar was elected to the Shelby County Board of Commissioners in August 2012 to fill the vacant seat left by the resignation of Commissioner Mike Carpenter.

Mr. Basar grew up in Detroit, Michigan and relocated to Memphis in 1998 after living in diverse locations including Chicago, New York, and Terre Haute, Indiana. He has held several different positions over the past 14 years with Merck (formerly Schering-Plough), currently having responsibility for managing inventory and high levels of customer service, as well as ensuring product supply for the \$750 million Claritin/OTC Strategic Business Unit (SBU).

Mr. Basar holds an MBA from the University of Illinois at Chicago with concentrations in Marketing, Finance, and International Business. He also graduated from Eastern Michigan University with a BBA in Marketing and Public Law and Government. Over his 20 year career, Steve has worked for Fortune 500 companies including General Electric, Pfizer, and now Merck.

Commissioner Basar is a board member of the Temple Israel Brotherhood, past board member of the Memphis APICS Chapter. He has written numerous editorials for the Commercial Appeal. His community involvement includes the Republican Party, Livable Memphis, the Shelby Farms Park Conservancy, the Wolf River Conservancy, Kiwanis, and the Shelby Farms Greenline. He also continues to volunteer for the Memphis PREP program.

Steve Basar and his wife Kate have been married for 20 years and they are the proud parents of three teenagers.

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